

State Building Code Blamed for Saxe Theater Collapse

OCEAN SWALLOWS BIG FRENCH DIRIGIBLE

CORONER'S JURY HOLDS INSPECTION ALSO INCOMPETENT

NO MENTION IS MADE OF ARCHITECTS OR CONTRACTOR.

OUT THREE HOURS

Verdict as Returned Holds No Individual Liable for Tragedy.

Correction of the Wisconsin building code, which in turn will affect the building ordinance of Janesville, is expected as the result of the verdict of the coroner's jury, returned by the Saxe theater inquiry after three hours of closed door discussion in the city hall on Thursday afternoon. This is the verdict: Claude K. Cochrane came to his death September 18th, 1923, as the result of the collapse of the Saxe Theater, and collapse caused by the heavy load of the pent house imposed upon walls of insufficient strength. We find the fundamental cause of this accident to be the insufficiency of the Wisconsin State Building code. We further find that the building of similar construction built, as this was, in conformity with the Wisconsin Building code, would not have collapsed. We further find that there was practically no competent inspection during the progress of the building by the city of Janesville or the state of Wisconsin.

No blame is placed on either the architect, Martin Tulkenen Sons, Milwaukee, or the contractor, T. S. Willis, Janesville. Apparently the jurors were united in the opinion that the heavy roof together with the walls and brick pilasters to carry, causing the crashing down of the auditorium roof, the wrecking of the east wall, resulting in the death of Claude Cochrane, plumbing (Continued on page 12)

PRIEST FINED FOR VIOLATION OF RUM LAW

Fale Alto, Cal.—The Rev. Father Daniel O'Kelly, pastor of the Catholic church of the Nativity at Menlo Park, was fined \$100 by Police Judge Lakin yesterday after he had pleaded guilty to a charge of having liquor in his possession. He was arrested with two other men Christmas night in a local cafe. Officers alleged they found liquor in their vests. Father O'Kelly's companions also were fined.

EIFFEL TOWER BUILDER DEAD

Paris—Alexandre Gustave Eiffel, the engineer who built the famous tower that bears his name, is dead. He was 91 years old.

The Eiffel tower, the world's highest structure, was built in the Champs de Mars, Paris, for the exposition of 1889.

It is now used not only as a point of vantage for sightseers but for meteorological and scientific observations, and as a radio station.

Eiffel was widely known as a builder of great metal bridges. He also designed the sluices for the Panama canal when the French company undertook to dig the waterway.

PACKERS FACE PROSECUTION

Chicago—Three packing companies, Cudahy, Wilson and Swift, face prosecution as a result of petitions for writs of mandamus filed in the United States district court here, seeking to require the concerns to give the government access to their books. Officials of the packing companies previously had refused to answer the subpoenas issued by the United States department of agriculture. Answers to the petitions must be filed by the concerns before Jan. 11.

Are You Buying?

Today's Classified Page carries a splendid list of bargains in women's ready to wear. There is a large selection to choose from, the prices are very low, and the styles are new and attractive. Now is the time to do that coat and dress buying that you have put off so long. Prices will never be more attractive and a better selection would be hard to find.

The For Rent room list has been divided into an advertisement at this time has a very excellent opportunity to rent his rooms immediately with a small "For Rent" ad. Rooms have been renting exceptionally well. Now is the time to fill up those that are at present idle.

Make use of the Want ads today. There is no surer way to secure results.

If you have a want, you want a Gazette Want Ad.

PHONE 2500

Your credit is good if you have a phone.

Manager Appoints 14 Workers; Shun Politics, Is Order

Calling for loyalty, serious application to work, economy and abstinence from municipal politics, City Manager Henry Trasler today announced a list of 14 appointments to the various city offices and departments. Each appointment was embodied in a formal letter from the manager in which he makes a clear-cut, concise statement as to what he expects from his staff of workers, informing that they are to "play no favorites" and "have no axes to grind" but to put the welfare of the city of Janesville first.

Under the new organization plan of five departments, the city manager becomes head of three—finance, safety and public works—the city health officer is made head of the health department and the city attorney head of the law department.

ANSWER DECARES CRITIC OF KLAN WOULD DESTROY IT

Washington—J. Y. Clarke, former high in the councils of the Ku Klux Klan, has been attempting for months to destroy the order, according to a statement issued by Milton Pined, director of its department of education, after the publication of Mr. Clarke's demand for "reform" within the organization, or its dissolution.

Mr. Clarke's charge, in a letter to President Coolidge, that an "element" of the Klan was diverting it from the purposes and ideals of its founders and its announcement that he intended to call upon "the better element" to take steps to "remedy the existing evils," or disband the organization, brought from Mr. Pined a decision that the membership had grown from "less than 100,000 members after seven years of Clarke regime." It has a "total membership of millions under the present administration. This expansion," he said, was "evidence of the sincerity of purpose and the knowledge of Klansmen themselves for the true ideals and high purpose of the order." He referred to "the Klansmen of the nation" to "reconsider 721, which reads: 'Also take no heed unto all words that are spoken; lest thou hear thy servant curse thee.'"

YANKEE CLAIMS CONVENTION GIVEN O. K. BY MEXICO

Mexico City.—The Mexican senate today ratified the special United States-Mexican claims convention by a vote of 42 to 5. The general claims convention was approved as a whole, 28 to 1.

The senate then adjourned, leaving the discussions, article by article, of the general convention until another session.

The greatest opposition against the conventions has been against article nine of the general convention, which, opponents claim, discriminates in favor of citizens of the United States.

ARIZONA DESERT UNDER BIG FLOOD

Little Damage Done by Unusual Condition in Southwest State.

Phoenix, Ariz.—Waters which overflowed the banks of several of the highlands many miles north and east of Phoenix yesterday and sent great torrents through the canyons in the mountains down into the lowlands, inundating large tracts of desert country, were slowly receding early today.

Although great ponds still stretched over hundreds of acres of bleak desert land between here and the mountain ranges, officials said the high waters would slowly disappear unless there were further unexpected downpours. No damage was caused by the flood, other than the washing out of several small bridges.

The Roosevelt dam, said to be the third largest in the world, and which is 70 miles east of Phoenix, is described as having withstood the flood at any time in its history. It was announced by officials.

40 RESCUED FROM VESSEL IN NORTH SEA

Copenhagen.—The small passenger steamer King Hakon, which left Harwich, on the English east coast, Wednesday night for Esbjerg, on the Jutland coast of Denmark, was abandoned yesterday near the Island of Fance in the North Sea off Jutland. A wireless call brought tug, and the 40 passengers, most of whom were said to be from the United States, were rescued today. The transfer is described as a considerable feat in seamanship. It was made in the darkness and the passengers were in danger for a considerable time before being landed on the Island of Fance.

\$300,000 FIRE IN LANSING

Lansing, Mich.—The six-story Oklahoma building and recent theater, one of Lansing's leading office and theater buildings, was practically wiped out by fire early this morning. The origin of the fire at 6 a. m. was unknown. One fireman was seriously injured and removed to a hospital. Flying embers set fire to other buildings two and three blocks away but these were quickly extinguished. The loss is estimated at \$300,000.

NINE DEATHS FROM BOOZE

New York.—The toll of deaths from holiday bootleg liquor was increased to nine when three men and one woman fell victims to alcoholic poisoning.

Chippewa Falls.—Police here are holding William Bolger, also known as Joe Miller, Fond du Lac police, who charged the man broke jail there Dec. 4, while waiting trial on a forgery charge.

\$3,000,000 FOR RELIEF WORK

Rome.—The beneficence of the Holy See toward relief work in central Europe has reached a total of more than \$3,000,000, according to The Tribune.

BOND ISSUES AUTHORIZED.—The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad was authorized today by the Interstate Commerce commission to issue \$10,000,000 in 5 per cent bonds to be pledged as collateral in refunding outstanding note issues.

ROCK COUNTY PAYS MORE TO STATE THAN IT RECEIVED

\$113,564 EXCESS GOES TO MADISON OVER RECEIPTS.

Jefferson, Green, Dane, Among Counties on Wrong Side of Ledger.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS] Madison—Forty-two of the seventy-one Wisconsin counties received more money in state aid funds during the fiscal year ending June 30, than they paid into the state treasury. It is claimed in a bulletin issued by the state tax commission. The remaining 29 counties paid considerably more to the state than they received; it is said.

The compilation shows a balance of only \$1,431,466 retained by the state in taxes paid by the counties. The 71 counties held into the treasury (Continued on page 3)

ROBBERY SUSPECT ELUDES POLICE

Man Believed to Be Jack Keating Escapes by Dash Under Bridge.

A man believed to be Jack Keating, Janesville, wanted as a suspect in connection with the Bower City Jobbing company's robbery three months ago, eluded capture by the police shortly after midnight Thursday when he ran into the river under the Fourth avenue bridge and disappeared. It is believed he made his way to shore above the bridge on the east side of the river and made a hurried exit northward.

Police have been on the look-out constantly for Keating and two of his companions, William Karsden and James Kelsby, since the warehouse robbery, and when Patrolman Walter Froese came upon a man resembling Keating near the Fourth avenue bridge, he alerted from his car and went down the warehouse stairs to investigate. As he was about to grab the suspect near the corner of Fourth avenue and North Main street, the man made a dash toward the bridge with the policeman after him.

Fearing a flight across the bridge would be a hopeless attempt, the fugitive hurdled the south railing at the eastern approach of the bridge and went down the embankment. Froese then lost all track of him and while it is barely possible the man went into the river and was drowned, the police believe it is that he went into the shallow water under that end of the bridge and made his way to a point above it.

Chief Newman said he investigated the police station and learned that Jack Keating had not been seen there Thursday or Friday, nor at any time since he left Janesville following the robbery.

FORMER EMPLOYE ON ROCK FARM IS HELD IN KIDNAPING

William Kelly, about 40 years old, until last week a employe on the John A. McArthur farm at Edgemoor, Ill., is held in the Waukegan, Ill., jail, while an investigation is conducted concerning his alleged kidnaping activities at "Binghamton, New York." Kelly's arrest followed his coming to Waukegan to claim his two "sons" who had run away from the McArthur farm.

Kelly, with his two "sons" came to the McArthur farm Oct. 31 and the former inquired for work and was engaged as a farm hand. He, together with the two boys whom he called his sons, lived in another house on the farm, apart from the McArthur residence, and cooked their own meals there. The boys were called "Proctor" and "Clifford." (Continued on page 4)

2-CENT BOOST IN GASOLINE

Chicago.—A two cent increase in the price of gasoline, effective tomorrow, was announced today by the Standard Oil company of Indiana, the first upward price movement since the gasoline war in the fall brought gasoline prices down in most of the country to the lowest levels in years.

At the closing of the old year and with the excitement of Christmas out of the way, it is a good time to get ready for the winter hours, when in spite of predictions, there is bound to be cold and snow from time to time. In those hours you will want something to read. The habit of throwing away the newspaper immediately after glancing at it has caused much trouble. Preserve the paper for the serial stories, the radio programs, the Sunday School lessons, the household recipes, and other features. Get a good newspaper—one that will be enjoyed by all the family. In this section we are sure the Gazette most nearly fills that want and need. The Saturday and Sunday Gazette is especially pleasing and inviting to the reader. The big events of the world are there told. The best in features are printed. This week it will be especially good. The New Year is a good time to begin if you are not already a member of the Gazette family.

Beauty and T-bone Steaks Win Maid Title and Trip to New York



Miss Agnes Bertelson of Minneapolis, Minn., has been sent to New York city as the guest of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of America to show "the big town" that beauty and T-bone steaks go together. She is employed in a butcher shop in the western city and is known not only for her beauty but for her ability to cut meat.

Sailstad, Dorothy Get Four Years' Sentence

Superior.—Edward J. Sailstad and Dorothy Anderson today pleaded guilty to a charge of arson. They were sentenced to four years each by Judge Archibald McKay in Superior court.

Sentence was pronounced at 10:40 a. m. following a 10 minute court session. Sailstad must serve his sentence at the state reformatory at Green Bay, while Dorothy Anderson is to be confined at the women's reformatory at Taycheedah.

"Of course," said Judge McKay, "an excellent plea, the plea of the prosecutor, there will be a substantial reduction in this sentence on good behavior."

The pair will not be eligible for parole until a year after the expiration of their sentence, according to the Wisconsin statutes.

Sailstad and Anderson were sentenced at a table a few feet from where Sailstad's mother, Mrs. Augusta Sailstad, and his sister and brother sat. Miss Anderson was weeping. Sailstad's face was white.

Making their plea, the pair spoke hardly above a whisper. The court granted the district attorney's request to be permitted to make a few remarks. He spoke for two minutes, stressing the seriousness of the crime, but saying that since the accused were "going straight" and undoubtedly "would make good their desire to make amends," that they be granted mercy.

Miss Anderson, sobbing quietly, had nothing to say, but Sailstad murmured a few words, hardly heard by those in the crowded court room. He trembled as he asked the court to "give me a chance to make good."

CHRISTMAS MUSIC CONCERT IS FREE

Messages of the Season in Song at School Auditorium Sunday.

The sacredness of the Christmas season, its story and its message will be given to the people of Janesville in a concert at the high school auditorium at 3 p. m. The musical service, in which the choirs and soloists of 12 of the churches of the city will take part, will be given under the auspices of the community music committee of the local Chamber of Commerce.

There will be no admission charge. The churches that will be represented are Trinity, United Brethren, St. Paul's Lutheran, First Christian, Presbyterian, St. Mary's, First Baptist, First Lutheran, St. Patrick's, St. Peter's Lutheran, First Congregational and Carroll Memorial Methodist.

FOR THE NEW YEAR'S DINNER.—Start the new year right. Close the old year right. Start the new year right by having the very best on your table, at the most economical prices. The information as to how to do this may be had from the food stuff advertisements on pages 4 and 5 of today's Gazette.

KLAN WALKS IN GIVES SMALL SUM TO WALWORTH CHURCHES

Walworth.—Liberal donations from the local chapter of the Ku Klux Klan were received by three churches in this locality during the Christmas season. The Evangelical church and the Baptist brick church were visited by 20 members of the order, Sunday night. The members, in full regalia, marched into each church in single file, and through the church, leaving in the same quiet manner. The gift to each church was \$20. These visits were before service began.

The Christmas service was being held Monday night at the Pontanna Community church when the white robed figures marched in, left their \$20 donation in the collection plate, and departed.

It is understood a visit was also planned to the Congregational church but it was asked that it be postponed until a later date.

MEMBERS OF POOL ARE FILING NAMES

Action Is Under Terms of Law Passed by Last Legislature.

Madison.—Names of members of the Northern Wisconsin Cooperative Tobacco pool are being filed with town clerks in townships throughout the state where a number of contracts have been made. It was announced at pool headquarters here today. This action, under terms of a law passed by the last legislature, prevents the legal sale of any of the crop of members to persons other than the association and permits the association to regain possession of the crop if not sold according to the pool contract.

MUST "LAY OFF" SOOT.—Oshkosh.—City officials have notified agents of the steam railways to instruct engineers on trains passing through this city not to "blow soot" from their locomotives.

WILL GET THEIR 'SUNSHINE' THROUGH BARS OF PRISON



Dorothy Anderson, "The Sunshine Girl" and Edward J. Sailstad.

BODY OF BLIMP'S COMMANDER IS FOUND BY FISHERS

SAHARA REPORTS DISCOUNTED AS NEWS IS REVEALED.

ALL HOPE IS LOST

Warships Ordered to Scene; No Doubt of Identity, Say Italians.

BULLETIN.

Rome.—The Messaggero today publishes an interview with the commander of the steamship Port Alexandretta, who declares that, while cruising from Bengual on the African coast to Naples last Sunday, his wireless operator picked up S. O. S. messages from an airship which was being driven before a violent storm.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS] Paris.—An official announcement today said that the dirigible Duxmude had been lost at sea. The receipt of a telegram from the French naval attaché in Rome, announcing that the body of Lieut. Grandan, commander of the missing dirigible, had been found in Sicilian waters, caused all hopes of the safety of the Duxmude to be abandoned. These hopes had faded up last night on receipt of reports that the balloon had been floating helplessly over the Sahara desert.

The Rome advices convinced the officials there could be no possible doubt as to the identity of the body. Lieut. Grandan had an identification tag on his wrist. Italian fishermen hauling in their nets at the end of their day's task last evening brought the body to the surface. After it had been extricated from the meshes, it was found to be that of a French naval officer in full uniform.

A French cruiser and three torpedo boats were ordered to Sicily.

It is surmised that Lieut. Grandan, when he realized the dirigible was lost, may have instructed his men to remain on board the ship, which might have stayed aloft for several hours, the commander going down with them, but that the crew may have descended in the wilds of northern Africa.

INQUEST TO SEEK CAUSE OF BLAZE WHICH KILLED 18

Chicago.—A coroner's inquest is scheduled to start today to determine the cause and fix the blame for the fire which, Wednesday night, destroyed an annex building of the Dunning insane asylum with a loss of 18 lives.

The theories that the fire was caused by an incendiary, spontaneous combustion, defective wiring or carelessness on the part of an inmate all will be investigated. Reasons why the building was used 12 years after it had been condemned will be sought by the jurors in their efforts to fix responsibility.

Meanwhile, authorities are endeavoring to identify eight bodies and are searching for five missing inmates, thought to have escaped and fled to relatives. Search of the ruins has uncovered no more bodies and, of the two dogs who escaped, all except five have been captured or have wandered back to the institution.

BADLY BURNED AS KEROSENE EXPLODES

Manitowoc.—Mrs. John Mrotke, 38, may die as result of burns she suffered this morning when her clothing was ignited by explosion of an oil can while she was lighting a fire at her home on the south side.

RABBIT'S FOOT IS PRESENTED TO ESSER AT EAGLES' SMOKER

Manitowoc.—George Esser of Janesville, state president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, should have a lot of luck in 1924.

Mr. Esser, who was a guest of the localerie at a smoker last night, was presented with the left hind foot of a rabbit, one of a large number served as hazzenpfeffer at the smoker.

The aerle voted \$25 to the Harding memorial, initiated a class of seven and heard an address by Mr. Esser.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather tonight and Saturday, probably snow; rising temperature Saturday.

WITH THE FARMERS

Farm Bureau Official Information

THIRD UNPROMISING SEASON FOR SPUDS

State Production Below Normal but Prices Not Encouraging.

Washington—For the third successive season Wisconsin potato growers are looking forward to an unsuccessful season, the department of agriculture today reported. Estimates of the crop for 1923 are about 200,000 bushels, or about 10 percent below the normal crop of 2,200,000 bushels. The department estimates that the average yield per acre will be about 10 bushels, or about one-third of the normal yield of 30 bushels per acre. The department estimates that the average price per bushel will be about 10 cents, or about one-half of the normal price of 20 cents per bushel. The department estimates that the total value of the crop will be about \$2,000,000, or about one-third of the normal value of \$6,000,000.

Prices Decline
The shipping season for winter potatoes from Wisconsin is generally considered to open about Sept. 15.

Last year, when the extremely low level of 30-40 bushels per acre was reached, growers practically ceased hauling, believing either that the price would go up or that the potatoes were not worth hauling. This season, the price started considerably higher, but declined almost immediately. Bulk stock from the Antigo section, however, was bringing around 90c to the farmer, due to its general excellence and its bright, clean appearance. Nevertheless, the growers have hauled comparatively few potatoes since the price reached the 50c level, and there is a general feeling that at least a slight improvement must come.

Stock Held in Question
The percentage of stock still in the hands of growers is problematic. Last year, with stock held production of more than 40,000,000 bushels, the state had shipped 7,848 cars up to and including Dec. 9, while this season, with an estimated output of 35 percent less, the movement had been 5,658 cars to the same date. Last year the shipments were approximately one car to every 2,000 bushels grown, and, if the same ratio holds good this season, the total movement should be somewhat more than 13,000 cars. This would indicate 7,500 to 8,000 cars remaining in the state. Although these figures are based upon mere possibilities, they agree closely with the ideas of the best-informed growers and dealers in the territory, according to advices from the federal state market news office at Washington.

Mostly to Chicago
As in former years, most shipments are rolled to Chicago, but the Pittsburgh market is a strong rival for Wisconsin stock at the present time. In fact, during a recent week this terminal received almost as many Wisconsin potatoes as did Chicago, and offerings were sold at a better price, notwithstanding the difference in freight rates. It is felt by some dealers that, if Wisconsin shipments could receive a wider distribution, the price average for the year would be materially increased.

MANAGER APPOINTS 14 WORKERS; SHUN POLITICS, IS ORDER

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pointed street engineer; Herbert A. Griffey, former manager of the water department, becomes water works engineer; and Miss Alice Glenn, Red Cross school nurse, is appointed a regular city nurse along with Miss Hulda Andreas.

These are the only three changes in personnel from the present list of officers and salaries of all will remain the same as they have been unless changed by ordinance of the city council.

List of Appointees
A complete list of the 14 appointees together with their titles and the names of the departments with which they are connected, follows:
Department of Finance — Ervin J. Sartell, city clerk and treasurer; Frank L. Smith, assessor; and Ambrose J. Olson, bookkeeper. Department includes purchasing, water rents collection, collection of taxes, and all receipts and disbursements.
Department of Public Works — C. V. Kerch, city engineer; Joseph Lustig, Jr., engineer in charge of streets; H. A. Griffey, engineer in charge of water works.
Department of Health — Dr. Fred B. Welch, city health officer and head of the health department; Dr. J. J. Woodworth, sanitary inspector.

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FATHER EGGERS, ELKHORN, HONORED

Elkhorn — The 25th anniversary of the Rev. William Eggers' ordination was made an auspicious occasion by the parish of St. Patrick's church, of which he is pastor.

Trains and automobiles brought 35 visiting priests and as many family friends of Father Eggers. Solemn high mass was celebrated during the forenoon, with 14 priests in the sanctuary.

The Rev. Fr. George Meyer, Milwaukee, gave the sermon. Father M. Graff was master of ceremonies; Fr. P. Burebach, sub-deacon; and the Rev. Arentz Adam, deacon of the mass. The venerable sister, Mary Ellen, gave a complimentary banquet at noon and 150 persons were served. A large number of congratulatory

myself with a loyal, harmonious, efficient and non-political organization. For this reason it will be my policy to remove from office any one failing to qualify his work with the four attributes listed above. My office will always be open for free and frank discussion for all problems that may arise but no tolerance will be given to any employee to whom the principles of loyalty are foreign. The foregoing remarks render my position clear and it is entirely up to you to render the proper type of service.

Department Heads Named
"I am enclosing herewith an organization chart of the city of Janesville outlining the various departments under which I intend to operate. The city manager will act as head of the Department of Finance, the Department of Public Works, and the Department of Safety. The health officer will act as head of the Department of Health and the city attorney as the head of the Department of Law. I take the opportunity at this time of wishing you a very happy New Year."

"Very truly yours,
HENRY TRAXLER,
City Manager."

Simple Colds Indicate a need of SCOTT'S EMULSION to build resistance. You first realize what Scott's Emulsion is, by the strength it brings to the body.

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telegrams were received and read at the table. All the men at the speaker's table were former classmates of Father Eggers at college. Father Julius Burebach, West Allis, was lieutenant, and Father Meyer gave a toast on the boyhood of the Elkhorn priest, Fr. J. J. Shanahan, Delavan; toasted him as an athlete; Judge Martin Lucke, Beaver Dam, on "Rev. Wm. Eggers as a Citizen."

The venerable sister, Mary Ellen, Milwaukee, a sister of the pastor, brought a large cake with silver decorations for the table and Father Eggers was presented with a purse of \$250.

A reception was held in the evening when Father Eggers received the guests. Music was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Visiting Clergy
The list of visiting priests includes the Rev. Fathers W. Steinbach, Chicago; M. Burebach, John Scholtz, Thomas Pierce, M. Blackwell, Joseph Poschmann, Milwaukee; John Grunewald, Fort Atkinson; Peter Stupfel, Lomira; Joseph Hartmann, Hartford; William Bruecker, Stanger, Rudolph, Joseph, Joseph, Will Wolf, Madison; Joseph, Van Treck, Dean, Burlington; George Jaeger, Dane; Christ Hansen, Vashon; Adolph Klink, Milwaukee; Charles Olson, Janesville; John Shanahan, Delavan; Charles Bliver, Lyons; Joseph Reiter, East Troy; Nick Veler, Mineral Point; Nick Adams, St. Joseph; Joseph Lederer, Ashton; John Nickol, Kenosha; William Bach, I. Klein, Racine; Joseph Harz, Beloit; Joseph Smith, Lake Geneva; Joseph Kaefer, Oregon; M. Downs, Whitewater; Francis Schwin, Watertown; B. Solbreiter, Mukwonago; James Ryan, Milton Jet.

Visiting friends and family guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Blahel and son Harry, Madison; Mrs. Bertha Oswald and daughter, Gene Bauman, Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly and daughter, Frances, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Burebach and Miss Gertrude Burebach, West Allis; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Prockor all of Milwaukee; M. L. Lucke, Beaver Dam; Paul Hommy, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hartzheimer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hickley, Tom McCollow and Margaret Flynn, Janesville; Bertha Olson, Janesville; Mary Burebach, Josephson; Laura Bliver, Lyons; Nora Schockwell, Brookfield; Miss Bessie Culway, Mayville; Sister Mary Anthony, Chilton.

From the University
—of Wisconsin—a picture of an inter-class hockey game, played on the women's athletic field. This picture will be reproduced in the 8-page "University" section of The Milwaukee Journal on a next Sunday. Buy your copy at any news stand!

Racine Accident Fatal to Sister of Local Woman

Miss Avis F. Moyle, a sister of Mrs. Marcus K. Moyle, Janesville, was instantly killed in a traffic accident in Racine on Christmas day. Miss Moyle and her father, Dr. Thomas Moyle, Yorkville, were driving to Racine for a Christmas reunion at the home of O. R. Moyle, a brother of Miss Moyle. As the car reached the residence of a relative, where gifts were to be left, the motor was stopped. Miss Moyle stepped out of the car and started to cross the highway. A heavy touring car driven by Mrs. Anna Weichert, Burlington, bore down upon Miss Moyle and hurled her body or carried it a considerable distance. The injured woman died a few minutes later.

Miss Moyle was well known in Racine county, having for a number of years been a school teacher. She was 40 years old and was born in the town of Watertown most of her life and was educated in the schools at Watertown, the Rochester academy and also the Whitewater Normal school. For a while she taught

In the sad time of bereavement, one finds it difficult to remember all those friends who have visited and sent floral offerings to the loved one during the illness and time of death.

Insert a card of thanks in the column for that purpose which is located on the Gazette classified page, directly beneath the rate card in the first column. This is a simple, but expressive, way to extend your gratitude.

Poems "IN MEMORIAM" may also be written and placed in this column. This method is an appropriate one by which to keep alive the memory of one who has passed away. You may furnish your own poem or one will be selected for you.

Phone Mary Brown at 2500. She will help you word your card.

Two Institutes Booked in County Gets Divorce from Captain

Two farmers' institutes, lasting a day each, have been arranged in Rock county community centers. On January 15 the program will be given in Janover, with George Hemmingsway and Rev. Ivar Ramseth as the committee in charge. On the 16th the institute will be given in the Luther Valley church of Spring Valley township.

An important special meeting of the Moose lodge will be held at Moose club rooms at 3 p. m., Sunday.

Don't forget to buy film for your kodak tomorrow. —Advertisement.

TWO ARE FINED FOR HURTING STEPFATHER

Ashland — Asa Dowden, 26, and his brother, Plennie Dowden, 21, were fined \$25 and \$10, respectively, with 15 days jail sentences, on complaint of their stepfather, J. J. Minet, who claimed they came to his residence and injured him, following an argument in which a knife, a razor and a stove poker played prominent roles.

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Regular \$125.00 Geron Coats, with Beaver collar and cuffs, now..... \$92.50

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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

SOCIAL CALENDAR.
FRIDAY, DEC. 28.

Evening:—Misses Sorenson and Van Reider, Methodist church, 8 p. m. Reider, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baines, Congregational church, 8 p. m. Dinner party, Miss Mildred Howe, Bridge ten, Misses Barber and Jo, Colonial club. Dinner party, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Atwood.

SATURDAY, DEC. 29.

Evening:—Eastern Star Bridge club, Mrs. Edward Stabler, 8 p. m. Bridge for Miss Finkel, Mrs. E. A. Kehler.

Evening:—New Year's dance, Chevrolet club-house. U. C. T. banquet, East Side hall, 8 p. m.

60 Young People at Dance:—Robert Grubb, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Grubb, 300 West Milwaukee street, a student at the University of Wisconsin, gave a dance party at the Colonial club, Thursday night. Among the thirty couples were many of the young people who are home from school for the holiday recess. The dancing, which continued until a late hour, Yuletide decorations made the living rooms and porch attractive. Punch was served. Among the guests were Miss Manilla Powers, New York City; Miss Marion Tippet, Reno, South America; Harold Thompson and Albert Warner, Beloit.

Home for the Holidays:—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hughes, Emerald Grove road, have their three daughters home for the holiday recess. Miss Genevieve is a student at the University of Wisconsin; Miss Anna Hughes teaches in the public schools of Detroit, Mich.; and Miss Frances Hughes is doing social work in Birmingham, Ala. Miss Frances Hughes was graduated from the University of Wisconsin last June majoring in sociology. For the past year she has been employed by the Tennessee Coal, Iron, and Railroad Co., doing social work. She will return to Alabama, Sunday.

Coaches Play at Clinton:—Miss E. Josephine Hiltzsch, Clinton, is spending several days at Clinton, where she is coaching the senior class of the high school for the presentation of the "College Town" given Jan. 10 and Jan. 11 in Clinton.

Home for Holidays:—Miss Ella Fullerton, New York City, and Miss Anna Fullerton, Washington, D. C., are spending the holidays at the home of their mother, Mrs. Lottie Fullerton, Beloit road. Miss Ella Fullerton is a graduate nurse at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, New York City while Miss Anna Fullerton is doing government work at the capital.

Young People Honored at Church:—Young people home from school for the holidays were guests of honor at the regular church night supper, Thursday, at Congregational church. The American club arranged a special table for the young people with streamers of red, balloons and red candles as decorations. Short talks were given by the Misses Louise McNaught, Geneva Lowth, Genevieve Hughes, Harold Fisher and Robert Bliss.

The Rev. P. J. Scribner introduced Prof. E. J. Wright, Beloit college who gave a talk on education of young people. A community sing concluded the evening. One hundred and twenty-five attended the supper which was in charge of Mesdames Helen McNaught, George Paris, John M. Whitehead, P. H. Parnsworth and W. Freyermuth.

Wedded at Rockford:—Miss Winifred Jarman, this city, and Roy Noggles, Exeter, Wis., were married this week at Rockford. Miss Melba St. John and Telford C. Krueger, both of Edgerton, were among others who were married at Rockford, recently.

Son Born:—A son was born, Dec. 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bayer, 122 Rock street, at Mercy hospital. He will be named Lester Ralph.

Margaret Dixon to Marry:—Mrs. Fred Collier, entertained Thursday night, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dixon, Town of Rock, complimentary to her sister, Miss Margaret Dixon, whose marriage to Herbert N. Wolf, this city will take place Jan. 15. This was the first of a series of

pre-nuptial functions complimentary to Miss Dixon. Dinner was served at 7 p. m., and covers laid for 24. Main dishes and food were played and prizes taken by Mrs. Earl Garbutt and Miss Myrtle Hansen. Miss Dixon was presented with a kitchen shower.

Mrs. Byrne Hostess:—Mrs. Thomas Byrne, 534 Milton avenue, entertained 21 guests at a 6:30 dinner party, Thursday night. A miniature Christmas tree made the centerpiece for the table.

Ryan Son:—Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Ryan, 603 Holmes street, announce the birth of a son this week at Mercy hospital. Mrs. Ryan was formerly Miss Harriet M. Munson.

Social at Pleasant Valley School:—Miss Caroline Adams and her pupils of Pleasant Valley school entertained with a Christmas social, Friday night. Songs, recitations and dialogues were given by the pupils. Santa Claus appeared and gave out presents to all the children. Dan Finnane auctioned off the boxes, from which a good sum was realized. The money will be used for school purposes.

Announcement:—Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hiltzsch, announce the engagement of their daughter, Florence, to John Wehner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wehner, route 6, Janesville.

Christmas Party Given:—Eight young women, members of a bridge club, were entertained, Thursday night, by Miss Emily Moser, 529 Lincoln avenue. Dinner was served at 6:30 at a table which had for its focal motif a lighted Yule candle surrounded with holly. Individual favors were sick candy baskets. A Christmas tree, presents were distributed to the guests. Bridge was played and prizes taken by Mrs. Earl Merriell and Mrs. George Strampe.

Approaching Marriage Announced:—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Page, 323 South Washington street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Glenice May, to Elmer McClure, son of Mrs. Laura McClure, Indianapolis. The marriage is to take place in the near future.

25 at Christmas Dinner:—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Thompson, Plymouth, entertained 25 at a 6 o'clock dinner party, Monday night. A Christmas tree and program occupied the evening.

Sunshine Dance Entertained:—The Sunshine Junco club was entertained, Thursday afternoon, by J. Duhan, 415 North Lincoln. Prizes were taken by Mrs. William Hemmis, Mrs. William Dilree and Mrs. Dell H. Correll. Supper was served at 6 p. m. and covers laid for 12.

Christmas Dinner:—Miss Lillian Miller, 410 North Third street, will entertain the club in two weeks. Mrs. Hemmis, Chicago, the guest of the club, is spending a few days at the Correll home, 475 North Washington street, with Mr. Hemmis and her two children.

Entertain for Daughter:—Mr. and Mrs. August Somers, 531 Prairie avenue, entertained their children and grandchildren at a dinner, Christmas day. The affair was in honor of Miss Doris Somers, who is spending two weeks holiday vacation at the home of her parents.

Miss Hews Dinner Hostess:—Miss Mildred Hews is entertaining a company with a 7 o'clock dinner party, Friday night, at the residence of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peterson.

Mrs. Connell Entertains:—Mrs. Joseph P. Connell, Madisonville, Wis., is entertaining at a bridge tea, Friday afternoon, at her residence.

Farewell for Pastor Muller:—A farewell party for Pastor G. J. Muller, St. Peter's church, will be held at 8 p. m. Sunday at the church. Pastor Muller, with his family, will leave Monday for Pittsburgh, Pa., to assume a new charge.

Five at Luncheon:—Miss Margaret Allor, 601 Milwaukee avenue, entertained five friends at a luncheon, at the Colonial club, Thursday.

O. V. S. Bridge to Meet:—Mrs. Edward Stabler, 320 South Third street, will entertain the Eastern Star Bridge club at a 6 o'clock dinner party, Saturday. Cards will be the diversion of the afternoon.

Ten for Guest:—Miss De Alton Thomas, 118 Mineral Point avenue, gave an informal tea, Thursday, complimentary to her guest, Miss Marion Tippet, Reno, South America, a classmate of Miss Thomas at Ferry Hall, Beloit, Wis. Bridge was played and prizes taken.

by Miss Priscilla Muggleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Muggleton, who is home from Princeton school, St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Eunice Cunningham, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Cunningham, a student at St. Mary's college, South Bend, Ind. Tea was served at 4:30.

Mrs. Wood Hostess:—Mrs. P. J. E. Wood, 502 St. Lawrence avenue, was hostess, Friday, to a bridge luncheon. The guests were Mrs. L. P. followed by cards. Mrs. Henry Skavlen, Timmons, Ontario, was the guest from out of the city.

Beloit Party Here:—Mr. and Mrs. William Perigo, Beloit, gave a luncheon, Thursday, at the Colonial club. Their guests were 10 men and women who are making up a house party at the Perigo residence over the holidays.

It at Dinner:—Mrs. Helen McNaught and Mrs. Charlotte Prichard, 345 Madison street, entertained 11 at a Christmas dinner. Among the guests was Miss Emma Hawley, Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Atwood Hosts:—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Atwood, 703 Milwaukee street, are entertaining at an informal dinner party, Friday night. The musical which Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Baines and Miss Margaret Baines are given at Congregational church.

Out of town guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Edward Atwood and Mr. and Mrs. Donald B. Korst, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Skavlen, Timmons, Ontario, Canada.

Mrs. McWilliams Hostess:—Mrs. J. G. McWilliams, 1205 Mineral Point avenue, gave a dinner party, Thursday, at the Yule club, Rockford. After dinner the guests attended the theater. Those who attended were: Mrs. William McDowell, Chicago; Mrs. Stuntz, J. Zanin, Chicago; Mrs. H. C. Duggan, Milwaukee; Miss Hannah Quirk, this city.

Mrs. Hale Hostess:—Mrs. Fred Hale, 1222 St. Lawrence avenue, entertained at a Christmas dinner, Tuesday. Covers were laid for 16.

Attend Reunion:—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stabler and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carpenter are home from Brookfield where they were entertained at a reunion of Christmas. The reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stabler. Thirty-eight attended the reunion including the children of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stabler and their families.

K. K. Club Entertained:—The K. K. Club was entertained, Thursday night, by Miss Lucella Buckner, 200 South Main street. Bingo was played and prizes taken by Miss Gladys Wolcott and Miss Cora Burkness. In two weeks, Miss Helen Anderson, Linn street, will entertain the club. Lunch was served.

To Entertain for Sister:—Mrs. E. A. Kohler, 312 Jefferson avenue, is entertaining, Saturday afternoon, at a bridge party, complimentary to her sister, Miss Esther Fritzel, a student at the University of Wisconsin.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blackman, 712 Court street, are home after spending Christmas with relatives in Evanston, Ill. William McGinley, St. Paul, is a guest. The home of the Misses McGinley, 723 Prospect avenue. Charles Knoff, Chicago, has returned home while Mrs. Knoff will remain for a longer visit at the home of Mrs. Ada Higgins, 219 Prospect avenue.

A. Stratford Parish, who is attending school in Milwaukee, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parish, 718 Yuba street. A. E. Deasley, formerly of J. M. Roswick and Sons, was in the city this week, en route to Los Angeles, Cal.

Miss Lorraine Baumann, a student at St. Olaf's college, Northfield, Minn., is spending the holidays with local relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheldon, Madison, were guests, Friday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Whitehead, 646 Garfield avenue. They came to attend the funeral of Fred Sheldon. Miss Esther Ryan, 215 Lincoln street, is spending the week in Chicago.

The Misses Marie O'Connor and Florence Gibb, have returned to Chicago, after spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Mrs. Fred O'Connor, South Jackson street. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young and family, 223 South Franklin street, have returned from Fond du Lac, where they spent Christmas with Mrs. John McCaffery.

It Joseph and Fred Murphy left the city, Saturday, for a holiday visit with their parents. Mr. Joseph went to Boston, Mass., and Mr. Murphy to Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blackman, 802 Court street, are Chicago visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Haverson,

PASTOR MULLER TO LEAVE MONDAY

St. Peter's Lutheran Pastor Preaches Farewell Sermon on Sunday.

Pastor G. J. Muller will preach his farewell sermon Sunday morning, concluding seven years of faithful and helpful service with St. Peter's Lutheran church here. The Rev. Mr. Muller, his wife and three sons, Carl, Harold and John, will leave Monday morning for his new charge in Pittsburgh, Pa. He will become pastor of Grace Lutheran church there.

Pastor Muller came to St. Peter's church from Brooklyn, N. Y., in April, 1917, and has been instrumental in building up the church in that time. It is planned to fill the pulpit with supply pastors until a permanent successor is secured.

The pastor and his family will make the trip east by automobile. "I think we'll get through all right—all that east stop is a blizzard and that'll only delay us a day or so," he stated.

TEMPERATURE DROP, WIND, GIVE CITY TOUCH OF WINTER

While a northwest wind howled around the corners of the house and whistled up the chimney, Janesville during Thursday night, it was a blustering wind that blew lots of cold and gave the city a touch of winter. Yet, the temperature was no lower than it has been twice before this season. The mercury slipped to 21 degrees for its lowest point and was up to 28 by noon. To the hale and vigorous, Friday was a beautiful day.

Inspector Here:—W. F. Bach, post-office inspector, was in the city Thursday.

Milwaukee, and John Geffs, southern Illinois, have returned after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George S. Geffs, 1225 Tanager avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Southoff, Madison, have returned after a Christmas visit with Mrs. Ada Higgins, 219 Prospect avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson, Milwaukee, have returned after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson, Center avenue.

Mrs. Harry Schmidley and two daughters, Wauwatosa, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Louis Knipp, 475 North Chatham street.

Story Hours:—The usual story hour will be held at the public library at 10:30 a. m. Saturday.

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EVY'S ANNEX

Pre-Inventory Sale on All Coats and Dresses

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Plush Coats only	\$17.36
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All Velour Coats	20% Less

3 Lots of Silk and Wool Dresses

Lot 1. DRESSES only	\$15.69
Lot 2. DRESSES only	\$12.69
Lot 3. DRESSES only	\$7.69

THIS SALE ENDS MON., DEC. 31

Delavan Girl Is Married Thursday to South Dakotan

Delavan—One of the prettiest weddings of the year was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dora Loomer, South Sixth street, when her daughter, Miss Gretchen Loomer, became the bride of Watson Ernest Dittmer, Canton, S. D.

Thirty-five guests attended the ceremony performed by the Rev. Robert Lincoln Kelley, pastor of the Baptist church, at an altar arranged at the home. Miss Beth Loomer, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Miss Marvel Lobart, bridesmaid. James Spencer Tompkins, Beloit, was best man.

Following the wedding Miss Beth Loomer sang "At Dawning," accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Wadmond, Delavan. The bride came in on the arm of her mother, carrying a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley.

Supper was served at the home and the Misses Edith Almquist, Ada Peterson, Vivian Roe and Zella Loomer assisted in serving.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Chicago. Their marriage is the culmination of a romance which began in South Dakota, where the bride is engaged in extension work for the State college of Brookings.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dittmer, Burt, Ia. He is a graduate of Ames college, Ames, Ia., was chosen to the honor society Alpha Beta, and was a member of the Theta Delta Chi. He now serves during the war as a second lieutenant. He is now county clerk of Lincoln county, and the couple will be at home at Canton.

Attending the wedding from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dittmer and daughter of Burt, Ia., and Dr. E. G. Dittmer, of Manchester, Ia.

PLYMOUTH MAN GETS FOX BOUNTY

County bounties were collected on a fox by John Driscoll, Plymouth township, at the court house this week.

Leaves City Office:—Mrs. Corabel High, who has been employed temporarily in the city department of finance the past three weeks to aid in the rush of tax notice preparation, has left to do special work for the Chamber of Commerce.

Story Hours:—The usual story hour will be held at the public library at 10:30 a. m. Saturday.

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JUDGE GRIMM TO BE HERE JAN. 14

Judge George Grimm will hold court in Janesville again on Jan. 14, hearing default cases and litigations to be tried before the court without the jury.

Closed Monday Night:—Following the custom of former years, the public library will not be open on New Year's Eve, Monday night.

ROCK COUNTY PAYS MORE TO STATE THAN IT RECEIVED

(Continued from Page 1.)

ary in taxes during the year \$8,201.38, and the state returned in aid a total of \$6,619.322, according to the bulletin.

Fund Is Deducted

Deducted from the taxes paid into the state treasury in addition to the license funds which the counties are said to have received through the apportionment under the state motor law and through highway aid.

As an example, it is pointed out, Adams county paid the state in general property taxes a total of \$15,202.18, in normal income taxes \$78, and teachers' retirement fund surtax \$10. The county received in excess motor vehicle license funds \$14,011, leaving a balance of only \$1,379 which is claimed to have remained in the state treasury. Adams county, on the other hand, is reported to have received in state aids a total of \$22,072, leaving a balance of \$20,693 which that county is said to have received from the state compared with the amount it paid.

Counties claimed to have received more in state aids than they paid to the state during the year, with the excess amount set forth in the bulletin, follow: Adams, \$20,693; Ashland, \$31,093; Bayfield, \$57,133; Buffalo, \$15,106; Burnett, \$25,610; Chippewa, \$11,820; Crawford, \$4,441; Door, \$3,757; Douglas, \$5,761; Dunn, \$20,116; Eau Claire, \$46,622; Florence, \$8,908.

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Forest, \$30,897; Iron, \$18,865; Jackson, \$86,229; Juneau, \$21,631; Kewaunee, \$3,361; Langlade, \$27,468; Lincoln, \$16,149; Marathon, \$17,403; Marinette, \$69,212; Marquette, \$6,181; Monroe, \$12,389; Oconto, \$10,850; Oneida, \$27,062; Pepin, \$5,247; Polk, \$10,292; Portage, \$24,100; Price, \$39,553; Richland, \$13,029; Rusk, \$16,073; St. Croix, \$12,818; Sawyer, \$34,260; Shawano, \$34,200; Taylor, \$21,557; Trempealeau, \$14,197; Vernon, \$11,877; Vilas, \$21,500; Washburn, \$20,483; Waupaca, \$12,053; Waushara, \$20,733; and Wood, \$28,268.

Rock Pays In

Counties claimed to have paid an excess into the state treasury over the amount received follow: Barron, \$5,263; Calumet, \$17,031; Drown, \$6,794; Grant, \$355; Columbia, \$1,894; Dane, \$22,189; Dodge, \$81,447; Fond du Lac, \$46,237; Grant, \$21,780; Green, \$29,217; Green Lake, \$9,255; Iowa, \$24,774; Jefferson, \$23,022; Kenosha, \$78,370; La Crosse, \$19,059; LaFayette, \$32,514; Manitowish, \$23,023; Milwaukee, \$1,954,142; Outagamie, \$26,503; Ozaukee, \$20,181; Pierce, \$16,414; Racine, \$10,191; Rock, \$112,661; Sauk, \$6,377; Sheboygan, \$71,400; Walworth, \$12,478; Washington, \$31,039; Waukegan, \$37,631; and Winnebago, \$73,760.

"I SEE BY THE GAZETTE"

COMING EVENTS.
SATURDAY, DEC. 29.

Afternoon—
Poland-China Breeders' association meets, Court House, 1:30.
U. C. T. initiated class of candidates, East Side hall, 3 p. m.

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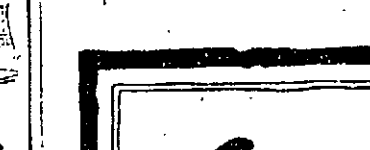
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OPEN HOUSE DANCE BY ELKS ON JAN. 1

Lodge to Greet Members on
New Year's; Lunch to be
Served.

A matinee dance to last from 4 to 10 p. m. will feature open house to be held by the Janesville lodge of Elks in the club rooms New Year's day. The dance will be held for all members and their friends.

The Lakota orchestra will play. A light lunch will be served at 6 p. m. The business meeting which falls on next Tuesday night will be short.

A stag party which had been planned for Saturday night has been canceled in favor of open house.

FORMER EMPLOYE ON ROCK FARM IS HELD IN KIDNAPING

(Continued from page 1.)

by their father, and Mr. McArthur and others on the farm had no reason to believe the boys were not rightfully the man's children.

Clifford and Troy obeyed Kelly and helped him with his farm work. Kelly was not an exceptionally good farm hand, but Mr. McArthur was short-handed and there was considerable work to be done on the farm. The boys said they had ridden in on a freight from a mining town in Pennsylvania, where they had been for six months.

Two weeks ago last Sunday the two boys left the farm, presumably to go to Milton and return later, but they did not come back. Kelly notified Sheriff Deley of the disappearance of his two "sons" when they did not return, and Saturday left for Waukegan when he heard the boys were there. Mr. McArthur, who had been asked the sheriff to hold them until Kelly arrived. He was going to return to work for McArthur.

Arriving at the jail at Waukegan, Kelly found the boys who had been located on a farm at Winthrop Harbor, five miles away. Kelly's eyes lighted up and he rushed to meet them. "Paternal words flowed from his lips, but they were suddenly checked."

Deny Relationship
"We aren't your sons," said the two boys.

They then told Sheriff Ahlstrom how they had met Kelly in a public park at Birmingham seven weeks ago. He had painted an alluring picture of the west, throwing in a couple of hundred dollars by way of special scenery. The boys succumbed to the temptation as Kelly told how readily money was obtained in the west and suggested they go on a mining trip.

Every week, Kelly told Father. The boys said they then boarded a freight with Kelly and alighted many miles west, where the man found them employment washing dishes in a restaurant. He collected their wages and free meals and, according to the boys, took life easy. "Kelly told us to call him 'dad' and he always called us his sons. After a while we got tired of supporting 'dad.' In Janesville we decided to give him the slip. We ran away and 'dad' has probably had to work ever since," the boys stated.

MAKE PUBLIC NEW MEASURE

Washington—Reversing its previous policy, the house ways and means committee today made public the new revenue bill in the form in which it was sent to the capitol by Secretary Mellon.

Stores of City Close in Tribute to Fred Sheldon

Funeral services for Fred S. Sheldon, president of the Sheldon Hardware company and lifelong resident of Janesville, were held at 2:30 p. m. Friday at the home at 3002 Milwaukee avenue. The Rev. Frank J. Scribner, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated.

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ANNUAL MEET OF FAIR BODY JANUARY 26

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Several Seeking Postmaster Job

Three or four applications for forms for the position of postmaster have been handled at the local post-office, according to J. A. Kaemlein, civil service examiner. The term of postmaster J. J. Cunningham expires in March. More applications may have been obtained direct from Washington so that no actual figures as to the number of applicants for the place can be given. The applications must be on file in Washington by Jan. 8.

HEALTH WORKERS TO HAVE OFFICE HOURS

Dr. Fred B. Welch, city health officer, announces that a schedule of office hours for the various members of the health department will be worked out the first of the year whereby there will always be one person in charge of the new quarters in the city hall. At present the various members are found in the office from 8 to 5 in the morning and late in the afternoon, and at other periods during the day. Dr. Welch is making it a practice to be in the office from 8 to 9 a. m., 11:45 to 12 m., and from 4:30 to 5 p. m.

GOOD CHEESE BY MAIL

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Klan Wedding First in History of Rockford K. K.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)

Rockford — Rockford persons attended the first Klansman wedding in its history here Thursday night when Rupert E. Mapes, a son of Wm. Mapes, prominent plumbing contractor, and Rosetta Noble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Noble, Secor, Ill., were married before an audience of 1,000.

The ceremony was performed with much impressiveness at a local hall as bells tolled midnight. The wedding procession was led by a robed Klansman carrying a flaming cross, and by its light the Rev. Charles Gage, Chicago, performed the ceremony. Prior to this a 12 piece orchestra had played as the wedding was performed, all lights were extinguished.

There was the crashing of drums and the Klan call. "Onward Christian soldiers" was played by the orchestra as the party marched in. Confetti and rice was thrown by the white robed audience afterward.

No Klansman Program.—On account of so many members of the Kiwanis club attending the Saxo theater in.

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Creamery Butter
Lb. 55c

Pure Lard, Lb. 18c

Slicing Oranges,
Doz. 27c

Fresh Vegetables.

Grape Fruit 5 and 10c.

Delicious, Jonathans, Baldwins.

Northern Spy, Roman Beauty.

Apples.

"Pie-Safe" Flour\$1.75

Valle Bread10c

Biscuits, tin7c

Jello, pkg.10c

Lemons, doz.30c

Shredded Wheat11c

Cream of Wheat13c

Pan Cake Flour10c

RAISINS, PKG. 11c

FIGS, LB. 25c AND 35c

New Bulk Dates, 2 lbs.25c

Just-Rite Coffee, lb.35c

Barrington Hall Coffee, lb. 45c

Cold Meats.

Pork Chops.

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quest Thursday the regular meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock, without a program being held.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY G. U. G. WOMEN

Rieka Wollin was elected president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the G. U. G. at the meeting Thursday night at Terpsichorean hall. Hattie Falk was chosen vice president; Amelia Teubert, recording secretary; Martha Manthel, financial secretary; Anna Wollin, guard; Minnie Duggs, guide.

Trustees chosen are Amelia Reich, Mary Esser, and Anna Vogel. The auditing committee is composed of Louise Loeckie, Anna Thiede, and Amelia Lenz. A program arranged by Amelia Teubert, Rieka Wollin was enjoyed by members and friends. The next meeting will be held Jan. 9 at Eagles hall.

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Rib Roast25c

Roller Rump23c

Pot Roasts22-25c

Plate Beef15c

Fresh Cut Hamburg22c

LEAN PIG PORK

Boston Butts17c

Fresh Ham Roast22c

Pork Loin Roast18c

Meaty Spare Ribs15c

HOME DRESSED VEAL

Veal Loin or Rump28c

Veal Shoulder20c

Stews15-18c

Ground Veal for loaf25c

SPRING LAMB

Any cut you wish.

PURE HOME MADE

PORK SAUSAGE

Bulk20c

Medium Links22c

Midget Links25c

Fresh Home Made

Bologna22c

Weiners22c

Liver Sausage22c

Good Side Bacon25c

Fresh Creamery Butter

55c

Bulk Sauer Kraut, qt. 15c

Bulk Mince Meat, lb. 30c

Pickled Pigs Feet,
2 lbs. for25c

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PRUNES FANCY 90-100 SIZE

3 LBS. 29c

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, 10 BARS42c

GINGER SNAPS, VERY FINE, 3 LBS.29c

KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES, LARGE SIZE10c

LARD SPECIAL

3 LBS. 44c

4 lbs. Box Crackers45c

Fortune Macaroni, 3 packages for25c

Campbell's Tomato Soup, per can10c

Frank's Sauerkraut, large can for15c

Dr. Price's Vanilla Extract33c

20 oz. jar Red Rabbit Olives44c

Golden Cream Mustard, large bottle20c

Armour's Strawberry Jam, per jar25c

Baker's Cocoa, per 1/2-lb. box18 1/2c

Libby's Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2 1/233c

A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL.

CUDAHY'S CASH MARKET

FRESH DRESSED CHICKENS, 23c.

DUCKS, 27c

GEESSE 23c.

TURKEYS 40c

Prime Pot Roast22c

Neck Beef15c

Plate Beef12 1/2c

Fresh Hamburger22c

Beef Liver12 1/2c

Pig Liver10c

Veal Breast12 1/2c

Veal Shoulder15c

Veal Chops22c

Small Pork Loins18c

Fresh Ham Roast22c

Spare Ribs12 1/2c

Pure Pork Sausage18c

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links20c

Small Pork Shoulders 12 1/2c

Fresh Side Pork18c

Home Cured Picnics15c

Home Made Bologna23c

Liver Sausage18c

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(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Duluth.—Edith Honius, employed
at 125 Garden street, lost conscious-

ness Thursday night when the wind
blew her from her feet. She was
taken to a hospital where she re-

gained consciousness.



TURKEYS For New Years

Choice, Tender Fowls in all weights. Ducks, Geese and Chickens are well represented, too.

NATIVE STEER BEEF

Pot Roasts 22c and 25c

Lean Plate Beef 12 1/2c

Rump Roast Beef30c

Roller Corned Beef25c

Rump Corned Beef30c

Sweet Pickled Beef Tongues
at32c

YOUNG PIG PORK

Ham Roasts22c

Loin Roasts22c

Shoulder Roasts18c

Spareribs15c

Fresh or Salt Side Pork 20c

Home Rendered Lard.

Home Cured Bacon, by the
piece, lb.30c

MILK FED VEAL

Shoulder Roasts22c

Loin Roasts28c

Rump Roasts25c

Veal Breast15c

CHOICE LAMB

Leg32c

Lamb Shoulder25c

Lamb Breast15c

HOME MADE PORK
SAUSAGE

Bulk and Link.

Veal Loaf and Baked Ham.

Blue Ribbon Butter.

Strictly Fresh Eggs.

Brick, Limburger, Kraft,

American and Pimento,

Cheese.



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Dressed Poultry for
New Years--Turkeys,
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Chickens

Prime Rib Roast Steer

Beef, lb.25c

Choice Pot Roast Beef,
lb.22c, 25c

Lean Plate Boiling Beef,
lb.15c

Plate Corned Beef, lb. 15c

Boneless Rolled Corned
Beef, lb.25c

Rump Corned Beef, lb. 30c

Corned Beef Tongues,
lb.30c

Home Dressed Pig

Pork

Shoulder Roast Pork,
lb.18c

Lean Loin Roast Pork,
lb.20c

Ham Roast Pork, lb. 25c

Fresh or Salt Side Pork,
lb.20c

Meaty Spareribs, lb. 15c

Shoulder Roast Veal, lb. 20c

Rump Roast Veal, lb. 25c

Veal Stew, lb.15c, 18c

Choice Young Lamb, any
cut.

Home Made Pure Pork Sau-

sage, lb.20c

Link Pork Sausage, lb. 22c

Hamburg, fresh cut, lb. 25c

Picnic Hams, lb.15c

By WHEELAN

The Wagon Wheel

By WILLIAM PATTERSON WHITE

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Silo Thompson, ranchman and his father, Bill Derr, discuss their chances of securing a government contract for their cattle. They agree that the Hawkins ranch is likely to land the contract, and they decide to try to get it. Silo, however, is a crooked character, and he is not above using any means to get what he wants. He is in the habit of using force and intimidation to get his way. He is a man who is not above using force and intimidation to get what he wants. He is a man who is not above using force and intimidation to get what he wants.

Pap Hawkins, and his sons, Thom, Hank and Slim, are worried by the idea that there will be an investigation of recent cattle killings and decide to force Pap to leave the ranch. The investigation is a threat to their business, and they are determined to do whatever it takes to keep it. They are a family of cowboys, and they are used to dealing with whatever comes their way. They are a family of cowboys, and they are used to dealing with whatever comes their way.

Dolly finds an old ballad book and reads a poem about a cowboy and a girl. She is fascinated by the story, and she decides to write a poem of her own. She is a young girl, and she is full of imagination. She is a young girl, and she is full of imagination. She is a young girl, and she is full of imagination.

"They ain't Silo Thompson's, Don't you know I'd know the saddle and bridle of my own partner? The bridle is black and white like Silo's, but there's no yellow and red in it. She's had a few yellow and red hairs in the cheek, and the saddle is plain unstamped leather like Silo's, same old Visalia tree and ox-bow stirrups too, but this here is a Brazier saddle, by the good pap, and Santa Fe made by Billy Bolander was down in Santa Fe. I don't give a damn what you say, this ain't Silo's saddle or his bridle either."

CHAPTER SEVEN

Pap Hawkins glared around the family circle. "What I want to know is, why didn't Bill Derr identify that saddle?"

"You think that was Silo Thompson's saddle and bridle?" asked Hank.

"Sure they were," sneered Pap, with all an experienced man's contempt for a boy's mentality. "Any fool could see that."

"Then why didn't he identify 'em?" Hank asked bewilderedly.

"Well, he didn't know what I want to know. Why didn't he? Why didn't he? He ain't got any reason to be good friends with us, and on top of that, this killing, Silo's saddle and bridle turn up on our place, and then Bill Derr don't recognize 'em. Never saw 'em before, not him, and he reels off a speech about Billy Bolander and Santa Fe made by Billy Bolander, and he ain't got one leg to scratch another with, and Pap has to turn us loose. Now why did he do that?"

"I don't know," said Slim, "and I don't care. What interests me is who planted that saddle and bridle on our place."

"The same man who wrote the anonymous letter to the sheriff. Who else?"

"You may be right," said Hank. "I know I'm right. Who'd you guess would do a thing like that to us?"

"Jim Forrest!" huzzared Hank. Pap shook his head. "Not him. He might bushwhack one of us to get square, but he ain't got the nerve to kill a man. He ain't got the nerve to kill a man. He ain't got the nerve to kill a man."

"Whoever it was, the fellow was an enemy of Silo's too," said Hank. "You think so?" Pap observed with sarcasm. "You think maybe he had a grudge against Silo too, huh? Well, maybe you're right. Hank, anyway, seeing as you're so jaw-bright, make another throw and tell us who the fellow is."

"Aw, quit ridin' me!" grunted Hank. "You're always ridin' me, ridin' me, only said."

"Never mind what you only said. We'll take your word for it. There ain't a one of us got any idea who killed Silo."

"Wait a minute," interrupted Slim. "If you about Thom?"

"Thom?" repeated Pap. "Thom? This trick that has just been played on us and Silo is a good deal like the trick we're trying to turn for Thom's benefit. Suppose now Thom he wants to get rid of us. He's got brains—some. And this trick is about what he'd think of, too. Besides, he'd have it in for Silo, knowing that the Silo's was trying to get that contract. This was always a great boy for killing two birds with one stone."

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Coffee.

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Elkhorn—Mrs. Grant Harrington, who is enjoying a pleasant winter, the temperature varying from about 66 degrees morning to around 70 degrees in the middle of the day. Miss Harrington and her relatives are near by.

A group of singers from the Congregational church met Wednesday night at 8 o'clock and sang carols and Christmas songs for their visit at the jail was much appreciated by the inmates.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Voss, Sugar Creek, are preparing to entertain the Cornfield Ave. club at a holiday party, Saturday night. The party will be given at the Voss home, with presents and dancing. Fifty guests are expected and late refreshments will be served.

The girls received their dolls at Black and Miller's drug store and are happy. The five highest were Katherine Pope, Rosemary, Beatrice, Mary Jane Ridge-way, and Aletha Bell, who received the largest and best dolls as named.

Sunday in the Churches

At the Congregational church service, 11 a. m., the pastor, the Rev. Ed. Will, will preach on the theme, "A New Year's Resolution." The junior sermon will be "The New Year as a Tell Tale." Anthems will be sung by the choir with a duet by Mrs. Raymond Potter and Lulu Matheson. A cornet solo will be given by H. W. Burch.

Services in the new Methodist church, 11 a. m., the Rev. W. F. Fackler will preach on the theme, "Confessions of a Sinner—The Busy Man." Special music.

St. John's Lutheran church Sunday school 9 a. m.; sermon, 10:30, in English, by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. LaGrand, Milwaukee will give the morning sermon at the Baptist church. Dr. LaGrand is superintendent of the Baptist State convention.

The Union service will be held at 7:30 p. m. in the Baptist church. Rev. T. F. Hiltorne will speak on the theme, "Good news of Christmas." Good music will be prepared and the Community orchestra will play.

Persons

Mr. and Mrs. Donald T. Moore, Ft. Atkinson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Barnes, Wednesday; and Mr. Moore attended the arguments for new trial for Adolph Eckman.

Edward Kelley, DeKalb, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Jahn and family.

Miss Lorraine Barnes returned Christmas night from Milwaukee, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Lockney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith had their Christmas at the Pfister, Milwaukee and attended a matinee and returned to Elkhorn, Wednesday.

Mrs. George Sprague, former resident of Elkhorn and daughters Georgia and Dorothy, teachers in Illinois are spending the holiday vacation in Ft. Atkinson, with Dr. and Mrs. Will Young.

Mr. Matthew Waffle and children, Seymour, Ill., are remaining in Elkhorn for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Uppling.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holste, Spencer, Ia., are guests of Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Mayo. Mr. Holste is a traveling salesman for Fairbanks Morse Co.

Edward Kenney, Rochester, N. Y., returned last Thursday, to his position with the Century Electric Company, after spending a few days with his father, E. Kenney and family.

Mrs. Charles P. Greene and George Greene were guests at the marriage of Miss Gretchen Delavan and W. H. Hittner, Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Dora Loomer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelley, Arthur Kelley, Will Smith and sister Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee and Glen Kelley, Rockford, Ill., went to Union Grove, Wednesday to attend the funeral of Joseph Goldworthy, conductor of Kelley's helper, who was in an accident in Chicago when the milk train was cutting off cars. Mr. Goldworthy left a wife and his parents.

FONTANA

Fontana—Leon Porter, Deloit, Ill., and Mrs. Van Dresser and Harold Foutte, Whitewater, are spending the holiday vacation at their homes here.

Van Denburg and the Misses Irene Cockerill, Diefenbach and Nygard went to their home for the holidays. Mary Van Dresser is spending two weeks' vacation at her home.

Miss Ella Seibert, Walworth, spent

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Mr. and Mrs. Rowbotham entertained 15 relatives Christmas.

Mrs. J. J. Thompson, Oak Park, Ill., was a guest at the William Finley home Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Porter returned Tuesday from their eastern trip.

Herbert Stevenson and George Finley attended the legion dance Tuesday night, at the opening of the Van Velsor garage, Elkhorn.

SHARON

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Edmund Goodall who attends college at Galesburg spent Christmas week with his sister, Mrs. C. E. Hiltner, Virginia, who attends the Illinois university spent the fore part of the week with Miss Iola Ruhlman.

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Mrs. Charles Clark, Battle Creek, Mich., and Mrs. D. K. Hicola, Worthington, O., left Friday for their homes after spending a week with their sister, Mrs. John Maxwell.

Miss Esther Bacon, who is in training at Mayo hospital, Rochester, Minn., is spending her vacation at home.

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Busy Man's Sport Page

By FRANK SINCLAIR

JANESVILLE TOTAL NOW REACHES 476; STILL NEED HELP

The promised entry of 50 five-man teams from the Fisher Body corporation of Janesville has been received, it was announced Friday morning by Charles Toulton, president of the Janesville Bowling association and chairman of the bowling tournament drive.

A check for \$550 has been received from the Fisher people through A. J. Brandt, plant manager here, to pay the entry of that many teams.

To date this is the largest individual organization boost for the big state meet to be held here, Jan. 18 to Feb. 18.

The Fisher entry swelled the local total to 476 teams, Mr. Toulton states. With 450 teams already signed in other sections of state, 226 teams are needed for the meet, only 126 less than at Green Bay.

While the Chevrolet may come in with 100 five-man teams, firms and individuals that promised to pay the balance of the state to come in under the wire, declaring he "hopes that the bowlers of the state will make it the greatest meet ever held in Wisconsin."

1100 Mark Predicted. "We have the talent in Wisconsin and all that we need is a little more enthusiasm in a few sections of the state," said Mr. Toulton, the 1100-team mark. This can easily be done, as Janesville has promised to enter 500 teams if the balance of the state will put over 600 teams.

Already has reservations for about 450 teams with quite a few more to enter from, which will make our 1100 mark. The balance of the state will enter from outside of Janesville.

"Of the outside cities, Milwaukee now leads the van with an entry of 250 teams, followed by that of booster, Kenosha, with 30 teams, Fond du Lac, 25, Racine has 22, and they will probably have 10 more each from the cities of Madison, Neenah, combined this year under the leadership of Harry Gossett will enter 12 teams, Madison, Green Bay, and Oshkosh have reservations for 10 teams each, and should increase their entry 20 more. Green Bay 10 more and Oshkosh 10 more teams, Beaver Dam, Watertown, Sheboygan, and Kaukauna have six reservations each, and have two more teams each. Two Rivers, Wausau, Portage, La Crosse, and Dodgeville have five reservations each, and should have five more each. In addition to these who are safely on the hook, we wonder what has become of Sheboygan and Kaukauna, who both had six teams at the Green Bay tournament, also Francis Creek, DePere, Luxemburg, Ripon, Denmark, Kaukauna, Little Chute, Sun Prairie, Hildreth, and Port Washington with one each, making a total of about 450 teams, which are sure to go. About 100 more will surely come from the larger cities mentioned.

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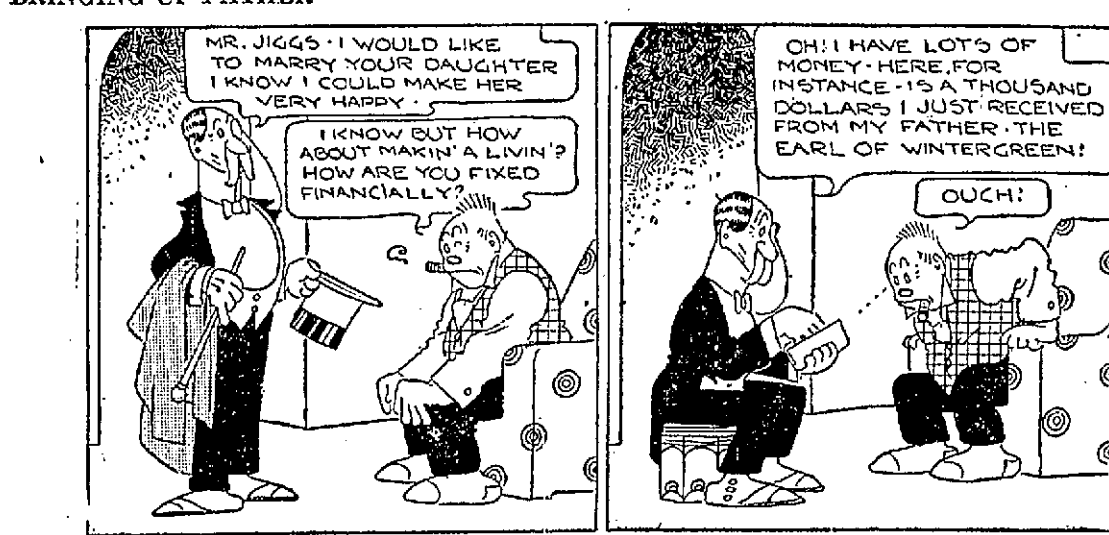
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BRINGING UP FATHER



May Have New Field Ready for Blue Team Next Fall

Janesville high school hopes to be able to play its football games next fall on the new field adjoining the building on South Main street. This statement was made Thursday afternoon by Frank O. Holt, superintendent of schools.

Some filling in is necessary. This is hoped to be done so that it will be possible to seed down the field next spring and have it in readiness for the 1924 grid season.

"We have put in a request to the city council," said Superintendent Holt, "for all of one and half of the other two lots recently acquired by the city, in addition to the ground formerly purchased if the council will give us that ground we will have ample space for a complete football field and room for an oval for a running track."

Jefferson Grads Defeat Alumni

Jefferson—Two basketball games featuring the future attraction at the annual Jefferson high school alumni reunion here Thursday night. A team composed of graduates of the 1921 class defeated the high school team, 21 to 15. The alumni team, in the second game, defeated the class of 1922, 18 to 15, in a game that was the better of the two. The speed and resourcefulness of Blechschmidt, Her, Ladden, Klockow and Jayne overcame the Twenty-Two. Dancing followed.

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Grid Safer and Better, No Changes Are Made

Alhaha, Ga. — No fundamental changes in football rules seems to be required, according to the report of the rules committee made to the convention of the National Collegiate Athletic association Friday by E. K. Hall, of Dartmouth, chairman.

Mr. Hall asserted that in the reports of his committee for the past three years the opinion has been expressed that no fundamental changes in the rules governing football seemed to be required and that nothing in the experience of the past season has tended to alter that opinion.

Game Has Improved. "On the contrary," Mr. Hall continued, "evidence continues to accumulate that the rule committee has undertaken some years ago of gradually changing the game of American football from one that was breaking a closed mass formation and probably too hazardous to gain into an open, running game free from unnecessary hazards has been practically accepted."

In the change from the old game, Mr. Hall said, practically all that was lost in the old game has been recovered and most of the faults that came in for just criticism have been eliminated and certain desirable features have been added. The game has been made much safer. Injuries are fewer and less serious, and there seems to be no inherent hazard in the game now beyond those which are inevitable in any sport and especially in a sport which includes among its elements speed and physical contact," Mr. Hall told the association.

Class Play Has Gone. "Of the serious injuries during the past season, practically all occurred in teams of secondary schools or other teams where the players were competing with very little training and practically no supervision. The old mass play with its pushing, pushing, and piling up has disappeared. Along with it has gone 95 percent of the intentional fouls and roughing in the line that too often occurred after the forward progress of the ball had been stopped."

ALL-STAR KEGLERS FIRST HALF YEAR

The all-star weekly team of league bowlers has made such a hit in Janesville that the Gazette is going a step farther.

On Saturday, an all-star team for the first half of the 1923-24 season will be published. It will show some mighty fine 10-pin swatting that has been done so far.

With Janesville bowlers accustomed to the alleys upon which the state meet will be held here, Jan. 18 to Feb. 18, these figures will give the deopster some idea of what might be expected from Janesville players. The locals should get into some of the good money.

Sell Dumont to Yankees

George Dumont, pitcher with the Samson Tractor baseball team here several years ago, has been sold by Atlanta in the southern association to the Yankees. He will be given a trial next spring. By the way, Dumont goes back to the majors. He was formerly with the Boston Red Sox, jumping to semi-pro ball and being outwitted. He was reinstated a year ago by Commissioner Landis.

While at Atlanta last season, Dumont turned in a no-hit, no-run game.

Pitcher Karr also goes to the Yankees in the deal by which Pitcher Spates and Indlester Wright of the New York Americans go to Atlanta.

City Cage Loop Meeting, Friday

A meeting of the captains and managers of the city industrial basketball league will be held at the Y. M. C. A. at 7 p. m., Friday. Important business is expected to come before the session. It is announced.

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100 Mi. Hour Badger Boat May Race Duke at Oshkosh

England is preparing to hurl dolls at the United States in the motor boat racing game. It's a habit John Bull has acquired. Sir Thomas Lipton has challenged for the America's cup in the sailing division. Sir Edgar Mackey is expected to challenge in the free-for-all speed boat department. Now comes the Duke of York, who has put up a magnificent trophy for the one and on-half litre power class. His challenge to Yankee speed boat kings will reach this country during the national motor boat show, New York, Jan. 4 to 12. Secretary Mackey of the Marine Motor racing association of England is issuing the challenge in behalf of the duke, the race to be run in England some time this summer.

While the one and one-half litre class have never been officially recognized in this country, a conference at the motor boat show is likely to see the class launched and the race may be run at Oshkosh July 3-4-5. C. J. Pope, former commodore of the Oshkosh Power Boat club, promises to secure three entries for such a class, and with that start the Valley association doubtless will sanction the try out and invite the Britishers to come over and watch the development of boats which will try for the Duke of York trophy.

Plans for a 100 miles an-hour boat race among the cherished flies on the desk of Walter D. Beauvais, Milwaukee, are being advanced. The expected British challenge for the America's cup, Beauvais has designed the fastest of the mid-western boats and they are now the fastest in the world. The America's cup was last successfully attained by Gar Wood of Detroit, with a boat which recorded 80 miles per hour in straightaways. The Beauvais plans reveal a boat widely different from any such champion, but every champion boat has been different from predecessors. The plans were drawn for Sheldon Clark, Chicago, Ill. Clark has repeatedly refused to be interested regarding the cup, but then the challenge from J. Bull has not been received.

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Knotty Problems of Basketball

The Gazette has arranged with the Joint Basketball Rules committee, which promulgates annually the standard rules governing the game, to answer all questions regarding interpretation of the playing rules. Readers desiring information on any problems which may have arisen during the game can have their questions answered officially by addressing the Joint Basketball Rules committee, care of this paper. Enclose a self-addressed, two-cent stamped envelope for direct reply.

Just as a player is throwing for a goal from the field an opponent commits a personal foul. Does the field goal count, if made, and are the free throw, or throws, allowed in addition. Ans.—If the ball has left the player's hands when the official's whistle blows to signal the foul, the goal counts; if the ball has not left his hands, the goal does not count. In either case the free throw, or throws, must be allowed. (Rule 7, Sec. 7, Note.)

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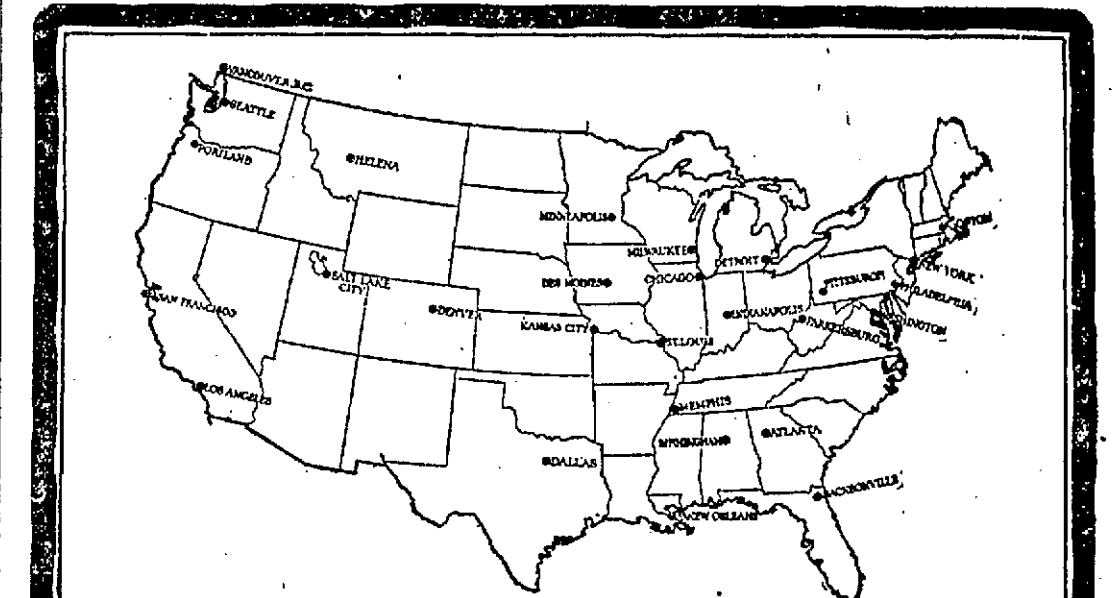
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